

Redlands

Los Angeles Branch  
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco  
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 30, 1942

Name: J. C. Aldridge  
(Print)  
Address: Box 123  
(Street and Number)  
Whitewater, Calif.  
(City) (State)

(Date)  
Telephone: ☒  
Interview: ☒  
Adult: ☒  
Minor: ☒  
Male: ☒  
Female: ☒  
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business: \_\_\_\_\_  
Partnership: \_\_\_\_\_  
Proprietorship: \_\_\_\_\_  
Corporation: ☒  
Individual: \_\_\_\_\_  
Person Interviewed: J. C. Aldridge  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number: none

Principal: Mr. Aldridge is 69 years old, and at present is living on a ranch and taking care of a few head of stock at a nominal wage for the owner. He has had experience in truck gardening in Illinois, and would like to get on a small farm for truck gardening. He has no immediate assets, but has a small pension.

Referred to Mr. Ruoff, F. S. A.

Action taken:\*

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Redlands field representative

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March 25, 1942

(Date)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print)

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Interview: ☒

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street and Number)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State)

Adult: ☒  
Minor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Male: ☒  
Female: \_\_\_\_\_  
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business: \_\_\_\_\_  
Partnership: \_\_\_\_\_  
Proprietorship: \_\_\_\_\_  
Corporation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Individual: \_\_\_\_\_

Person Interviewed: W. F. Bangle  
Address: 1208 Texas St., Redlands  
Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Bangle has been working for the past 20 years as engineer for the Gold Buckle Ass'n. He was born on a farm and lived there (Missouri), where they engaged in general farming and stock raising until he was thirty years old. He would like to get hold of a ranch, or farm, for farming of like character.

Action taken: \* Referred to W. F. A. P. Art Branham, local representative.

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March 26, 1942

(Date)

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Interview: ☒

Name: Philip H. Goppie  
(Print)

Adult: ☒

Minor: \_\_\_\_\_

Male: ☒

Female: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street and Number)

Citizenship: U. S.

Pomona, Calif.  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:

Partnership: \_\_\_\_\_

Proprietorship: \_\_\_\_\_

Corporation: \_\_\_\_\_

Individual: ☒

Person Interviewed: \_\_\_\_\_

Dan McLeod

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Manager, Bank of America  
Redlands Branch

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. McLeod phoned that he had talked with the above in regard to a loan on a strawberry crop maturing near Pomona, and in view of the lack of funds on the part of the applicant and the time required to verify particulars would consider it an inadvisable loan for his bank.

Action taken:\*

referred to Mr. Art. Branham, W. F. A. P. field representative.

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March 28, 1942

(Date)

Telephone:

Interview: **X**

Name: C. M. Coulter  
(Print)

Adult: **X**

Minor:

Male: **X**

Female:

Citizenship: U. S.

Address: 609 W. Colton,  
(Street and Number)

Redlands, Calif.  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:  
Partnership:  
Proprietorship:  
Corporation:  
Individual: **X**

Person Interviewed: C. M. Coulter

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Is interested in Japanese farm land. He lived on a farm in Oklahoma and Kansas until about 1926, and since that time has worked as a laborer on farms and in logging camps. At present is working on a spraying machine for H. C. Hagy. He has no finances, but appears a capable workman.

Action taken: \* Recommended an appointment with Mr. Ruoff, for information. Expect he will telephone later. Referred this information to Mr. Ruoff, W. F. A. field agent

P.S.A.

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Name: Antonio Guiseppe Fiori  
(Print)

Address: St. 1 Box 17 A Loma St.  
(Street and Number)

Redlands  
(City) (State)

4-21-42  
(Date)

Telephone:  
Interview: xx

Adult: xx  
Minor:  
Male: xx  
Female:  
Citizenship: Italian

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Feb. 8, 1914

Operating under Treasury License now?: SS A

Type of Business:  
Partnership:  
Proprietorship:  
Corporation:  
Individual:

Person interviewed: Carlos Ramirez  
(bro-in-law)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: Redlands 2173

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

2 acres young orange grove interplanted to corn and vegetables.  
Six room house--also one or two lots with house in Redlands. Wife  
is Mexican and intends to remain to look after property.  
Immigration service at Post Office rules wife is Italian alien by  
marriage.

Action taken: \* Referred Ramirez to Mexican Consul for his advice and  
suggested they make certain of legal status of wife  
and in event she is to be evacuated, they revise plans  
of taking care of property. We will follow up.

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March 27, 1942

(Date)

Telephone:

Interview: **X**

Adult: **X**

Minor:

Male: **X**

Female:

Citizenship: **U. S.**

Name: **A. C. Frisbie**  
(Print)

Address: **1690 Walnut**  
(Street and Number)

**San Bernardino**  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:  
Partnership:  
Proprietorship:  
Corporation:  
Individual: **X**

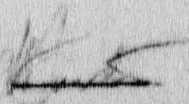
Person Interviewed: **A. C. Frisbie**

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

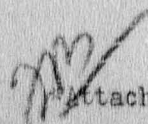
Telephone Number: **none**

Principal property involved and scope of problem:  
**Interested in Japanese lands. Has just sold 130 acres alfalfa and 40 head stock. Has property of value about \$5,000, and cash \$3,000, and good credit.**

Action taken: \* **Referred to Mr. Art. Branham, W. F. A. P.**

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**Redlands field representative**

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Mar 23, 1948

(Date)

Telephone:

Interview: **X**

Name: **Ichiro Fukushima**  
(Print)

Address: **1035 Calhoun St.,**  
(Street and Number)  
**Redlands, California**  
(City) (State)

Adult: **X**

Minor:

Male: **X**

Female:

Citizenship: **U. S.**

Date of last entry into United States: **March 1935**

Operating under Treasury License now?: **SSA**

Type of Business: Partnership:  
Proprietorship:  
Corporation:  
Individual: **X**

Person Interviewed: **Ichiro Fukushima**  
Address:  
Telephone Number: **22643**

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

**Ichiro Fukushima** was working in Compton and came here to be with his brother, **Fajiro Fukushima**, bring his car, on which payments are being made, a balance of \$111.00 being payable to **Bob. Barnett, Compton**, and furniture on which payments are being made, a balance of \$112.00 being payable to the **Washington Finance Co., 416 W. 8th St., L. A.** He has no plans for evacuation, but hoped to be able to take his car along to the place developed for evacuees.

Action taken: \* Advised getting in touch with **Barnett** to see if arrangements could be made to take the car out of the State. Also advised selling the furniture. Will have to take this matter up with him again to see what progress he can make, and would appreciate advice from you as to whether it may be possible for evacuees to drive their own cars out.

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Field Representative  
*[Signature]*

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March 27, 1942

(Date)

Name: Mrs. John Nobuyuki (Sayako) Fukushima  
(Print)

Telephone:  
Interview: **X**

Address: 405 E. Central Ave.,  
(Street and Number)  
Redlands, Calif.  
(City) (State)

Adult: **X**  
Minor:  
Male:  
Female: **X**  
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: 1934

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:  
Partnership:  
Proprietorship: **X**  
Corporation:  
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mrs. Fukushima  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Fukushima, has joint ownership with her sister, Sachako Miki, of the property at 405 E. Central Ave., consisting of a small grocery store and a home, as reported previously. She intends storing her furniture on the premises and arranging for its rental, leaving the property in the care of Mr. Fred Hill, of Redlands, at one time her guardian.

Action taken: \* After discussion, this appears to be a satisfactory arrangement.

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Name

~~March 24, 1942~~  
(Date)

Name: ~~(Mrs.) Syoko Fukushima~~  
(Print)

Telephone:

Interview: ☒

Address: ~~122 So. Matthews~~  
(Street and Number)

Adult: ☒

Minor: ☐

Male: ☐

Female: ☒

Citizenship: ~~U. S.~~

~~Los Angeles, Calif.~~ (City) ~~(State)~~ (Angelus 21361)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:  
Partnership:  
Proprietorship: ☒  
Corporation:  
Individual:

Person Interviewed: ~~Haruko Hirota~~

Address: ~~405 E. Central Ave.,~~

Telephone Number: ~~Redlands~~  
~~None~~

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Fukushima owns a small grocery store and house at 405 E. Central. This is run by her mother Mrs. Takayo Miki, assisted by an older man Yoichi Koschura, both Japanese citizenship. Also living there are nieces of Koschura, Haruko Hirota, age 34, born in Hawaii and resident here over 11 years, and Teruko Hirota, age 11 years. The property is clear, except for an assessment for the state highway. Miss Hirota said the plans for the property were in the hands of Mrs. Fukushima, who, due to pregnancy, was finding it difficult to come to Redlands to attend to the matter. Their customers consist largely of Mexicans and relief clients who may get credit in a small way. Mrs. Fukushima may be in town this week end.

Action taken: \* Suggested the possibility of making some arrangements with some of the Mexicans they know for the sale of the merchandise and rental of the property, which is not very salable. However, strongly advised selling if a reasonable offer could be had. Will interview Mrs. Fukushima if she is here Sunday.

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*[Signature]*



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~~March 25, 1942~~

(Date)

Name: Tajiro Fukushima  
(Print)

Telephone:

Interview: **X**

Address: 1035 Calhoun St.  
(Street and Number)

Adult:

**X**

Minor:

Male:

**X**

Female:

Citizenship: **Japanese**

Redlands, Calif.  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: November 1937

Operating under Treasury License now?: CSA (exhibited alien registration #3230914)

Type of Business:

Partnership:

Proprietorship: **X**

Corporation:

Individual:

Person Interviewed: Tajiro Fukushima

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: 22643

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has a lease, expiring Feb. 14, 1944, at 30.00 per month, on a grocery store. He estimated the value of the stock at \$300.00, furnishings, including frigidaire, \$900.00, and a 1934 truck, \$300.00. The family include his wife and three minor children. He is planning to sell out. Had not as yet taken any steps which promise result.

Mr. Fukushima wished to get permission to go to Riverside in order to assist his brother's wife in selling out her stock, the brother having been sent to camp.

Action taken:\*

Advised making arrangements to advertise, and also to get in touch with agent to list for sale. Also suggested that he get in touch with the man from whom he leases, with the double purpose of finding out if he will be held on the lease, and also that inasmuch as he found this place through that agency, they may now have some buyer in sight. Mr. Fukushima was willing to do this.

In regard to permission to travel, referred to U. S. E. S., who took care of the case.

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March 27, 1942

(Date)

Telephone:

Interview: **X**

Adult: **X**

Minor:

Male: **X**

Female:

Citizenship: **Japanese**

Name: Tajiro Fukushima  
(Print)

Address: 1035 Calhoun St.  
(Street and Number)

Redlands, Calif.  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: November 1937

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business: Partnership:  
Proprietorship: **X**  
Corporation:  
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Tajiro Fukushima  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number: 22632

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

He has had an offer for his store, lease, and stock, including truck and frigidaire, which includes \$350.00 cash and a note for \$350.00. It appears that the note would not be a very collectible asset, and it may be that before evacuation the grocery stock would be of material assistance for subsistence.

Action taken: \* Advised Mr. Fukushima not to make the deal unless it could be worked up into more satisfactory shape, and if possible to have the buyers contact this office for conference on the matter. 3

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Name

(Surname)

(Given)

Mar. 25, 1942  
(Date)

Telephone:  
Interview: **X**

Name: Yoshihiro Goya  
(Print)

Adult: **X**  
Minor:  
Male: **X**  
Female:  
Citizenship: Us

Address: University Hall,  
(Street and Number)

Redlands, Calif.  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: 1926

Operating under Treasury License now?: 684

Type of Business: Partnership:  
Proprietorship:  
Corporation:  
Individual: **X**

Person Interviewed: Yoshihiro Goya  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number: 2173

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

University student wishes to get travel permit to go to place  
outside this area to continue studies.

Action taken:\* **Referred to U. S. E. S. who are taking under advisement  
from their head office.**

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March 26, 1942

Name: J. C. Hammond  
(Print)  
Address: 600 E. Francis St.,  
(Street and Number)  
Ontario, Calif.  
(City) (State)

(Date)  
Telephone: X  
Interview: X  
Adult: X  
Minor: X  
Male: X  
Female: U. S.  
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business: \_\_\_\_\_  
Partnership: \_\_\_\_\_  
Proprietorship: \_\_\_\_\_  
Corporation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Individual: X  
Person Interviewed: Mrs. Claude Hemminger  
Address: 1079 Belleview, San Bernardino  
Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:  
Mrs. Hemminger stated that her father had been looking for land, and her attention had been called to the Inabe family holdings, on Peddy Road, Riverside. Mr. Hammond is at present farming 17 acres vegetables and sweet potato hot beds in Ontario, and has considerable tools. Expects to vacate there, and would be capable of handling considerable acreage.

Action taken: \* Referred to Mr. Art Branham, W. F. A. P.

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Name

(Surname)

(Given)

March 26, 1942

(Date)

Telephone:

Interview: **X**

Adult: **X**

Minor:

Male: **X**

Female:

Citizenship: U. S.

Name: Raymond Harris,  
(Print)

Address: 342 Sunnyside St.,  
(Street and Number)

San Bernardino.  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:  
Partnership:  
Proprietorship:  
Corporation:  
Individual: **X**

Person Interviewed: Raymond Harris

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: no

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wishes to see about getting a place to raise potatoes and alfalfa and stock. Has worked 18 mos. with the surplus commodities, W. P. A. no tools- only assets a home worth about \$1,200.00, with \$225.00 mtg. which he wishes to sell.

Action taken:\*

Referred to Art. Branham, W. F. A. P.

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March 26, 1924

(Date)

Name: Marvin Hyatt  
(Print)

Telephone:

Interview: ☒

Address: Colton & Alabama  
(Street and Number)

Adult: ☒

Minor:

Male: ☒

Female:

Citizenship: U. S. A.

Redlands, Calif.  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:

Partnership:

Proprietorship:

Corporation:

Individual:

Person Interviewed: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Interested in getting work on farm, some experience, no finances

Action taken:\*

Mr. Art Branham, field representative of W. F. A. P.

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March 19, 1942

Date

Name: George Kanatani (Private)

Telephone:  
Interview: X

Address: Camp Robinson,  
Arkansas

Adult: X  
Minor:  
Male: X  
Female:  
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now ? : No. 68A

Type of Business:  
Partnership:  
Proprietorship:  
Corporation:  
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Milton Kanatani  
(Brother)  
Address: 310 W. State St., Redlands  
Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

George Kanatani is the owner of a house at 310 W. State St., Redlands, mortgaged to the Security-First National Bank, with an amortizing loan. His parents and family live in the house.

Action taken: Requested that the father come in to discuss this matter with us for further information .

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Los Angeles Branch  
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March 23, 1942

Name: Kurataro Kanatani  
(Print)

Telephone:

Interview: **X**

Address: 310 W. State St.  
(Street and Number)

Adult: **X**

Minor:

Male: **X**

Female:

Citizenship: Japanese

Redlands, Calif.  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: 1917

Operating under Treasury License now?: No 684

Type of Business:  
Partnership:  
Proprietorship: **X**  
Corporation:  
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Kurataro Kanatani

Address:

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Kurataro Kanatani operates a restaurant at 135 W. Citrus Ave., Redlands, on a month to month basis, owning the furnishings, ice-box, stove, air cooler, water heater &c, which he values at \$700.00. The family, which includes himself and his wife, a minor son of draft age, a daughter at present in Los Angeles, and a son at present at Camp Robinson, Ark., live at 310 W. State St., in a house owned by the son, George Kanatani, private at Camp Robinson, and mortgaged to the Security First National Bank. They lack initiative in the selling of their property, and their present plan is to store the furnishings of the restaurant in the house, lock it up, and leave it, hoping to make arrangements for payments to hold the property. They signified that they would probably need aid in re-establishing themselves. They did not have anyone in mind to look after their property, and had not contacted any realtor for any purpose.

Action taken:\* Advised that the depreciation of the property, and depreciation and obsolescence of the restaurant equipment would be such that it would be far more practical to sell at the present than to store. Will attempt to persuade them along that line. Have arranged with the bank to check up as to status of the loan, for information.

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Name

(Surname)

(Given)

Name: Joe Kouchi  
(Print)

Address: Greenspot  
(Street and Number)

Mariposa, Calif.  
(City) (State)

March 24, 1932  
(Date)

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Interview: ☒

Adult: \_\_\_\_\_  
Minor: ☒

Male: \_\_\_\_\_  
Female: ☒

Citizenship: Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: about 1932

Operating under Treasury License now?: 684

Type of Business:  
Partnership: \_\_\_\_\_  
Proprietorship: \_\_\_\_\_  
Corporation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Individual: ☒

Person Interviewed: Jack Wada

Address: 308 N. State St.,

Telephone Number: 8531

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

No property is involved and Mr. Kouchi, who is employed as laborer by Mr. Morgan at Greenspot, is in a position to go at any time.

Action taken: \* Situation satisfactory.

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Name

(Surname)

(Given)

4-13-42

(Date)

Telephone:

Interview: ☒

Adult: ☒

Minor: ☐

Male: ☒

Female: ☐

Citizenship: Japanese

Name: Yasobashi Nakamura  
(Print)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street and Number)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: 1921

Operating under Treasury License now?: SS A

Type of Business: \_\_\_\_\_ Person interviewed: Clarence Nakamura  
Partnership: \_\_\_\_\_  
Proprietorship: ☒ Address: same  
Corporation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Individual: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1 1/2 ton G.M.C. truck and 3/4 ton G.M.C.  
Furniture

Action taken: \* Advised sale

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Field Representative  
Redlands, Calif.



Los Angeles Branch  
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March 20th, 1942

Date

Telephone:  
Interview: X

Name: James W. Nevius

Address: Rt. 1 - Box 37

Redlands

Adult: X

Minor:

Male: X

Female:

Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:

Partnership:

Proprietorship:

Corporation:

Individual:

Person Interviewed: James W. Nevius

Address: Route 1, Box 37, Redlands

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Nevius wishes to lease land now operated by Japanese. Has a tractor and some experience in gardening, as well as years of farming experience.

Action taken: Referred to Mr. Art. Branham, W. F. A. P.

Handled by\* W. F. A. P.

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March 20, 1942

(Date)

Name: Thomas Payne  
(Print)

Telephone:

Interview: ☒

Address: 1415 W. Wly. Rte. 1  
(Street and Number)

Adult: ☒

Minor:

Male: ☒

Female:

Citizenship: U. S.

Ontario Calif.  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:

Partnership:

Proprietorship:

Corporation:

Individual: ☒

Person Interviewed: Thomas Payne

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Referred to us by Pomona. Mr. Payne is a man of about 45, born and raised on Missouri ranches. Farmed about 160 acres, general farming and stock raising. He has been in California about two years, working in farm work of various kinds. He has no finances, but appears to be experienced, and has four boys in the family, the oldest 19 years, and all have been trained to work.

Action taken: \* Referred to W. F. A.

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Los Angeles Branch  
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~~March 25, 1942~~  
(Date)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print)

Telephone:

Interview: ☒

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street and Number)

Adult: ☒

Minor: ☐

Male: ☒

Female: ☐

Citizenship: U. S.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:

Partnership:

Proprietorship:

Corporation:

Individual:

Person Interviewed: Dale H. Pettit

Address: Box 215, Bays Mawr,

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Pettit is a truck driver laid off by Basich Bros. He is 19 years old, and has been driving a truck for two years. His father-in-law, Jason W. Moore, 58 years old, is working at present, and has had experience in general ranching. They are interested in getting hold of a farm, with the special intention of cattle ranching.

Action taken:\*

Referred to Art Branham, W. F. A. P.

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March 20, 1942

Date

Name: R. N. Plummer

Telephone: ☒ X  
Interview:

Address: E. Citrus Ave.  
Redlands

Adult: ☒ X  
Minor:  
Male: ☒ X  
Female:  
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now: ? : \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Person interviewed: Mr. R. W. Plummer

Partnership:  
Proprietorship:  
Corporation:  
Individual: ☒ X

Address: E. Citrus Ave., Redlands

Telephone Number: 2307

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Plummer owns 20 acres of farm land Near Portersville, and has been approached by American-born Japanese for a lease.

Action taken: Advised against the lease, and Mr. Plummer signified that the advice would be taken.

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R. W. Plummer

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Los Angeles Branch  
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NAME

(Surnames)

(Given)

Name: John Rinaldi  
(Print)  
Address: Route 1, Box 45  
(Street and Number)  
Yucaipa, Calif.  
(City) (State)

(Date)  
Telephone: xx  
Interview:  
Adult: xx  
Minor: xx  
Male:  
Female: Italian  
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States: May, 1921  
Operating under Treasury License now?: 68 A  
Type of Business: Partnership: xx  
Proprietorship: xx  
Corporation:  
Individual:  
Person interviewed: John Rinaldi  
Address: as above  
Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Acre and three quarters and house--farm-vineyard, grain, alfalfa, tomatoes; about 55 acres leased. Veteran in Italian army in the World War; was German prisoner.

Action taken: \* Referred to P.A.W. Advised to make arrangements for sale or lease of property and referred to P.A.S.

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Redlands, Calif.

Los Angeles Branch  
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Name

(Surname)

(Given)

Name: Albert Ken Sakato  
(Print)

Address: 527 E. State St.  
(Street and Number)

Redlands, Calif. (City), Calif. (State)

March 24, 1942  
(Date)

Telephone:

Interview: ☒

Adult: ☒

Minor: ☒

Male: ☒

Female: ☒

Citizenship: U. S. A.

Date of last entry into United States: April 9, 1916

Operating under Treasury License now?: A. 60

Type of Business: Partnership: ☐ Person Interviewed: Albert Ken Sakato

Proprietorship: ☒ Address: E. State

Corporation: ☐

Individual: ☐ Telephone Number: 6998

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Operates a fruit and vegetable store at the above address, lease expiring Mar. 31, 1942. A brother-in-law, Mike Matsumoto, left Riverside today for Arizona, where another relative lives, and this family plan to go there as soon as they sell out here. They have buyers interested. The family here consist of the father, Tom Yoshetano Sakato, the mother, Hatsu, and younger brothers George Taro, John Toshi, and James Hideki. They have an automobile which will be cleared in the sale of the business. Albert Ken Sakato is up before the draft board for revision of draft status, but in the event he is drafted hoped to get sufficient time to complete evacuation arrangements for his family.

Action taken:\*

Referred to U. S. E. S. for information on travel permits, which was given. Program satisfactory.

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Los Angeles Branch  
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco  
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Name

(Surname)

(Given)

March 26, 1942  
(Date)

Name: Albert Ken Nakato  
(Print)

Telephone: ☒  
Interview: ☐

Address: 527 E. State St.  
(Street and Number)  
Redlands Calif.  
(City) (State)

Adult: ☒  
Minor: ☐  
Male: ☒  
Female: ☐  
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: April 2, 1916

Operating under Treasury License now?: 65A

Type of Business: Partnership: ☐  
Proprietorship: ☒  
Corporation: ☐  
Individual: ☐  
Person Interviewed: Albert Nakato  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number: 6278

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has opportunity to sell out. Wishes to know whether family can travel under provisions of new restrictions. Has arrangements made to evacuate.

Action taken: \* U. S. E. S.

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Name

(Surname)

(Given)

March 25, 1942

(Date)

Telephone:

Interview: **X**

Adult: **X**

Minor:

Male: **X**

Female:

Citizenship: US

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(Print)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

(Street and Number)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:

Partnership:

Proprietorship:

Corporation:

Individual: **X**

Person Interviewed: Thomas Stephen

Address: 785 Edgar Ave., Beaumont

KANAWORTHY,

Telephone Number: DONE

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wishes to get located on farm. A man of about 50 years of age, with no financial resources, has been working the last ten years in construction work through the City of Los Angeles, until laid up by sickness a year ago. However, he had about twenty years varied experience in farming, operating a 320 acre cotton and alfalfa ranch in Texas, and has farmed sizable acreages of tomatoes, potatoes, and various deciduous fruits. Veteran of world war.

Action taken:\* referred to Art Branham, W. F. A. I.

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Name

(Surname)

(Given)

March 23, 1942  
(Date)

Name: Tamakichi Wada  
(Print)

Telephone:  
Interview: ☒

Address: 308 W. State St.,  
(Street and Number)

Adult: ☒

Minor: ☐

Male: ☒

Female: ☐

Redlands, Calif.  
(City) (State)

Citizenship: Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: 1907

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:  
Partnership:  
Proprietorship:  
Corporation:  
Individual: ☒

Person Interviewed: Jack Wada

Address: 308 W. State St.,

Telephone Number: 8331

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Wada is a gardener. The home was purchased April 1941, on contract of \$200.00 down, \$10.00 per month, from The Security- First National Bank. Furniture is valued at about \$300.00. No attempt has been made to sell anything as yet. This family will probably be influenced by the Kanatani family, who live next door, and who plan to store their furniture in the house and lock it for the duration. They spoke as if they had little to lose, and did not have any definite plan to sell.

Action taken:\* Advised seeing the bank to see what arrangements they would suggest and as to whether they might have ways of selling the property. Suggested the advisability of getting whatever might be made out of the property now, as against letting it depreciate.

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Name

(Surname)

(Given)

Name: Wada  
Jack (Wada)

Address: 1000 E. State St.,  
Redlands, Calif.

March 15, 1942

Telephone:

Interview:

X

Adult:

Minor: X

Male:

Female: X

Citizenship:

U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business:

Partnership:

Proprietorship:

Corporation:

Individual:

X

Person Interviewed:

Jack Wada

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

wished to get information as to whether sister, who is about to have a baby, could come from San Diego, and her husband leave there to look for new location. Sister to stay here with family pending further arrangements.

Action taken:\*

Referred to U. S. E. S. in San Diego.

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Name

4-20-22

(Date)

Name: Otto Wirth

(Print)

Telephone:

Interview: xx

Address: 1874 Menton Blvd

(Street and Number)

Adult: xx

Minor:

Male: x

Female:

Citizenship: Germany

Mentone, Calif.

(City)

(State)

Date of last entry into United States: June 1923

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68 A

Type of Business:

Partnership:

Proprietorship: xx

Corporation:

Individual:

Person interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: 9694

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

West half of block 53, Mentone Township (about 1 and 3/4 acres)  
Restaurant and chicken ranch; about 2000 to 2500 chickens.

Served in German Army for five years during World War. Came ashore from a ship during stay in harbor in 1923. Took out first papers shortly after, but due to regulations of that period was unable to continue. In 1939 ~~may~~ after regulations had been changed, reapplied.

Action taken: \* Advised making arrangements for sale or lease of property and referred to F. A.S.

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Field Representative  
Redlands, Calif.

Bank of San Francisco  
Agent of the United States

Mar 19, 1942

Date

Telephone:

Interview: X

Name: Kurataro Kanatani

Adult: X

Minor:

Male: X

Female:

Citizenship: Japan

Address: 310 W. State Street

Redlands, California

Date of last entry into the United States: 1917

Operating under Treasury License now ? : No. 69A

Type of Business:

Partnership:

Proprietorship: X

Corporation:

Individual:

Person interviewed: Milton Kanatani  
(minor son)

Address: 310 W. State St., Redlands

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Kurataro Kanatani operates a restaurant at 135 W. Citrus Ave., Redlands, under lease, owning the furnishings.

Action taken: have made arrangements for Mr. Kanatani to come in for an interview, bringing his son Milton.

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